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Via Email & ECF

Hon. Vernon S. Broderick United States District Judge United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007 APPLICATION GRANTED SO ORDERED A VERNON S. BRODERICK U.S.D.J. 4/29/2020

Re: <u>United States v. Rashad Crews, Larry Harris</u>, et al.

16 Cr. 00851 (VSB)

Dear Judge Broderick:

I was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act ("CJA"), 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, to represent Mr. Harris in the above referenced case. On June 2, 2018, the Court sentenced Mr. Harris to a term of 3 years incarceration. Mr. Harris currently serving his sentence. He recently contacted me and asked me to file with this Court a motion seeking his resentencing pursuant to the First Step Act/ Compassionate Release provisions. I write to request the Court reappointment me under the CJA to represent Mr. Harris in connection with the filing of such a motion. If the Court grants such a request, I would ask that the Court order my reappointment *nunc pro tunc* from April 18th which is the date I began working on the aforementioned motion on his behalf. It is my intent to file the motion this week. I thank the Court for its consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted, /s/
Donna R. Newman